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SUBJ: EXIMBANK: FINANCING CREDIT NO. 5749

FOR QUANTAS BOEING 747

1. DURING CANBERRA VISIT (SEPTTEL), EXIMBANK CHAIRMAN CASEY INFORMED GOA TREASURY OFFICIALS JANUARY 24 THAT EXIM HAS APPROVED US\$10,297,200 LINE OF CREDIT TO COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA FOR QANTAS AIRWAYS LIMITED PURCHASE OF ONE BOEING 747 JET AIRCRAFT, RELATED GROUND EQUIPMENT, SPARE PARTS AND SERVICES OF U.S. ORIGIN. TOTAL PURCHASE PRICE OF ITEMS APPROXIMATELY US\$34,324,000. BORROWER SHALL REPAY ALL DISBURSEMENTS UNDER EXIMBANK CREDIT AND THE COMMERCIAL BANK LOAN IN TWENTY EQUAL SUCCESSIVE SEMIANNUAL INSTALLEMENTS COMMENCING MAY 20, 1976. INTEREST TO EXIMBANK AT RATE OF EIGHT PERCENT PER ANNUM.

2. TREASURY OFFICIALS WELCOMED THIS NEWS AND SAID THEY WILL WORK OUT ARRANGEMENTS FOR LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENT WITH QANTAS, KEEPING EMBASSY AND EXIMBANK INFORMED.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE ADVISE EMBASSY OF EXIMBANK PLANS

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